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MEMORANDUM FOR: Lieutenant General Leonard H. Perroots, USAF
Director, Defense Intelligence Agency

SUBJECT: Support for Defense Intelligence Technical Forum



1. The seventh annual Defense Intelligence Technical Forum (DITFOR), which is sponsored by the Assistant Secretary of Defense for Command, Control, Communications and Intelligence, will be held at the Defense Intelligence Analysis Center on 11-12 May 1987. The theme of this year's DITFOR is National and Tactical Intelligence Support for Military Operations, and the Intelligence Community Staff has been asked to coordinate and chair the session on national intelligence. The purpose of this memorandum is to request your support in providing speakers.

2. A preliminary agenda for the national session is attached. My action officer [redacted] who will chair the session--has informally contacted members of your staff to arrange a number of presentations. Based on his discussions, participation of the following DIA officers is requested: [redacted]

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contributions would do much to ensure a successful forum. Their

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3. Thank you for your support. If your staff has any questions, can be reached by telephone

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Attachment:
Preliminary Agenda

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Topic: "An Assessment of NF1B Support to Recent Military Operations"

The briefing will summarize the lessons learned in the aftermath of the series of military operations that the US conducted or supported in the last few years. It will then identify a number of ways that the Intelligence Community can improve the intelligence support to two specific consumers: military planners and military commanders.

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Topic: "Defense-wide Intelligence Requirements and Implementation Strategies"

The briefing will identify top level requirements that require innovative solutions in order to perform intelligence functions and disciplines in support of theater and intra-theater war fighting. It will present plans for defining the major technical interfaces. Topics will include Joint tactical fusion, interoperability of joint and combined forces and other functional and theater intelligence requirements.

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Topic: "Defense Reconnaissance Support Program"

The briefing will give an overview of existing assets, planned and programmed improvements and present the highlights of a number of application studies.

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Topic: "More Responsive Imagery Support to More Consumers"

The briefing will address current national imagery management philosophy, and present the multiple and frequently contradictory challenges confronting the national imagery community. It will present the initiatives being charted to prepare the community and its growing number of consumers into the 1990's. This will include discussion of advanced imagery technology and management techniques to provide more responsive and tailored intelligence support.

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Topic: "Documentation of the SIGINT Threat"

The briefing will describe the technologies that will be the basis of the future SIGINT threat. It will present our current capabilities to meet that threat and address steps that must be taken if we are to maintain and perhaps improve those capabilities.

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Topic: "Theater Connections to DODIIS"

The briefing will highlight the requirements of operational commanders to access the DODIIS network, data bases and other national services and outline DIA efforts to satisfy these needs. Proposed development activities, tests, and proof of concept demonstrations, to include status of efforts with the Navy, JTFPMO and other defense components will be presented.